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Dear Members,

Unfortunately, it was not a sunny, beautiful southern California day for our January meeting as it was very cloudy with rain for most of the day. We still had a vibrant and enthusiastic crowd with a full afternoon on the subject of winemaking. The following is just a very brief summary of the presentations.

The presentations began with Dr. Susan Eberle, Professor, Department of Viticulture and Enology from the University of California Davis, speaking about the basics of wine flavor chemistry. Her three areas of interest and her presentation focused on the following: What are the flavor compounds in wine? How does the winemaking practices effect wine composition? How do these compounds relate to the sensory properties? She went into detail and covered some common wine flavor compounds and analytical methods used for testing during the fermentation process.

Next up was David Raffaele from the Maurice Carrie Vineyard and Winery in Temecula, California. His perspective is that of a farmer/grower and hearing this different viewpoint was refreshing. We sampled a few different wine varieties with specific flavor attributes.

We gathered for the business meeting following the presentations. Regrettably, we did not have enough certified members present. Due to lack of quorum, President Sam Tharpe adjourned the meeting at 4:20 PM on January 17, 2019 at the DoubleTree Suites by Hilton in Anaheim, CA.

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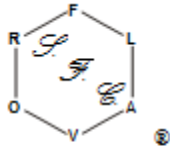
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We then departed on the optional wine tasting event at the nearby Pali Wine Company in the Anaheim Packing District. The next business meeting will be on February 21st at the Sheraton Philadelphia University City Hotel in Pennsylvania with speakers from the Monell Chemical Senses Center.

Yours truly,

Chris Williams
SFC Secretary 2018-2020

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